HOUSE BILL 2271

By Ogles

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8; Title 16; Title 17; Title 19; Title 20; Title 29; Title 39 and Title 40, relative to the administration of justice.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-11-703, is amended by deleting subsection (c) and substituting:

(c)

- (1) The items enumerated in subdivision (c)(2) are subject to judicial forfeiture as provided in this part for a violation of the following offenses:
 - (A) For an offense committed on or after July 1, 2022:
 - (i) Aggravated rape of a child, as defined in § 39-13-531;
 - (ii) Rape of a child, as defined in § 39-13-522;
 - (iii) Aggravated rape, as defined in § 39-13-502;
 - (iv) Rape, as defined in § 39-13-503; and
 - (v) Commission of an act of terrorism, as defined in § 39-13-805; and
 - (B) For an offense committed on or after July 1, 2011:
 - (i) Involuntary labor servitude, as defined in § 39-13-307;
 - (ii) Trafficking for forced labor or services, as defined in § 39-13-308; and
 - (iii) Trafficking for commercial sex acts, as defined in § 39-13-309.
 - (2) The items to which subdivision (c)(1) applies are:

- (A) When used or intended to be used in connection with such violation:
- (i) Conveyances, including aircraft, motor vehicles, and other vessels;
 - (ii) Books, records, telecommunication equipment, or computers;
 - (iii) Money or weapons; and
 - (iv) Real property;
- (B) Everything of value furnished, or intended to be furnished, in exchange for an act in violation of such statutes, including all proceeds traceable to the exchange, and all negotiable instruments and securities used, or intended to be used, to facilitate the violation;
- (C) Any property, real or personal, directly or indirectly acquired by or received in violation of such statutes, or as an inducement to violate such statutes, or any property traceable to the proceeds from the violation; and
- (D) Any real property, including any right, title, and interest in the whole of or any part of any lot or tract of land and any property used as an instrumentality in or used in furtherance of such violation.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it.

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